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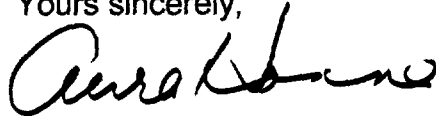
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Dear Mr. Jaffe:

Re: Docket 98P-0203/CP

I am writing to support the petition to ban the forced molting of layer hens. I understand that, to increase egg production, nutrients are withheld from hens for several weeks. I find this practice appalling and inhumane.

Yours sincerely,



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